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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 10-9-59

Call letters ... K.S.R.A.

Station location Salmon, Idaho

DALE J. SMITH (AL 11-7-69, Eff: 12-1-69)

X DAVID G.AINSWORTH, tr/as SALMON RIVER RADIO AND TELEVISION CO.(AL-12-21-64; EFF: 3-2-69 XSAIMON RIVER RADIO & TELEVISION COMPANY, INC. (EAP 4-1-59 EFF: 4-29-59)

Transmitter location Extension of Broadway 0.15 miles N. of city limits of Salmon, Idaho

950 Broadway, Salmon, Idaho (BRC 6-21-65)

Main studio location X Center and Main Streets, Salmon, Idaho (MP 1-20-59)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl.	Date			Time	Period
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		Inc.			,
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Main studio location

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed	Call letters KSRA
	Station location SALMON, IDAHO
Name of licensee See Card One	
Transmitter location	
Transmitter rocation	

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No. BR-3787(S) BR-3787 BZ-791029AC		NAME OF THE PARTY	Power RENEV	ICENSE_ rement	Period From- To- 10-1-77 10-1-80 10-1-80
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Aug. 1955

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Letters NEW K.S.R.

Name SNAKE RIVER/& TELEVISION COMPANY, INC.

(P.O. - Alfred E. Shumate, 455 South 2nd East, Rexburg, Idaho)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Act Nature	1 Date
BP-11,955 Rec'd Filed	4-8-58	Construction permit for a new standard broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency - 960kc Power - 1kw Hours of operation - Daytime Trans. location - Extension of Broadway, 0.15 miles north of city limits, Salmon, Ida Studio location - Center & Main Streets, Salmon, Idaho Remote Control Point - Same as studio Atty Wheeler & Wheeler Engr George P. Adair Engr. Co.	GRANTED	12-17-58
		F.C.C WASHINGTON, D. C.		

FORM BC-121 #2

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Aug. 1955

SALMON RIVER RADIO & TELEVISION COMPANY, INC.
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Call Letters NEW K.S.R.A.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature	tion Date
EMP-8370 Rec'd Filed	12-20-58 12-24-58 12-24-58	Modification of c.p. (EP-11,955 which authorized a new Standard Broadcast Station) to change studio location from Center and main Streets, Salmon, Idaho to Crewse Building, Main and Water Streets, Salmon, Idaho; change type transmitter (GATES BC-1T) and specify remote control point same as studio location. Robert G. Seaks, Atty.	GRANTEL	1-20-59
BAP-424 Rec'd. Filed	2-25-59 2-25-59 2-25-59	Voluntary assignment of construction permit to Salmon River Radio & Television Company, Inc. Wheeler & Wheeler, Attys.	GRANTED EFF:	4-1-59 4-29-59

FORM BC-121 #3 Aug. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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SALMON RIVER RADIO & TELEVISION COMPANY, INC.

File No.	Dated	Application for	<u>Ac</u> Nature	tion Date
BL-7447 Rec'd Filed	2-16-59 2-19-59 2-19-59	License to cover construction permit(BP-11995, as modified, which authoriz d a new standard broadcast station).	, GRANTED	10-9-59
Amended dec'd Filed	4-4-59 4-8-59 4-8-59	A mended to change applicant name to Salmon River Radio & Television Company, Inc.		
BTC-3236 Rec'd. Filed	8-29-59 9-10-59 9-10-59	Voluntary relinquishment of negative control of permittee corporation by Snake River Radio &Television Company, Inc. thru transfer of stock to Richard Eugene Carr and Sara Lynn Carr.	RANTED EFF:	9-22-59
		Wheeler & Wheeler, Attys.		

FORM BC-121 #4 APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Aug. 1955 DAVID G.AINSWORTH, tr/as SALMON RIVER RADIO AND TELEVISION CO. KSRA Name x SALMON RIVER RADIO & TELEVISION COMPANY, INC.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature	<u>tion</u> Date
BTC-3913 Rec'd Filed	11-28-61 12-4-61 12-4-61	Voluntary acquisition of positive control of licensee corporation by David G. Ainsworth thru purchase of stock from Richard E. Carrand Sara L. Carr. Robert G. Seaks, Atty.	EFF:	12-14-61 12-16-61 Form 323
B Z- 4616 R. & F.	1-31-62 2-5-62	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.	GRANTED	5-7-62
BR-3787 Rec'd Filed	7-2-62 7-9-62 7-9-62	Renewal of license	GRANTED	9-13-62
BAL_5305 R & F	11-24-64	AINSWORTH tras SALMON RIVER RADIO AND	GRANTED FF:	12-21-64 3-2-65
		F.C.C WASHINGTON, D. G.		

FORM BC-121 #5

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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DALE J. SMITH

Name X DAVID G. AINSWORTH, tr/as SALMON RIVER RADIO AND TELEVISION CO. Salmon, Idaho

Action File No. Dated Application for Nature Date BRC-2685 6-8-65 Modification of license to change studio GRANTED 6-21-65 Rec'd 6-14-65 location and remote control point to 950 Filed 6-14-65 Broadway, Salmon, Idaho. BR-3787 6-29-65 Renewal of license Rec*d 7-5-59 Filed 7-6-69 Renewal of license BR-3787 6/22/68 GRANTED 6/26/68 R&F 9-30-68 AMENDED 8-29-68 re: Programming & commercial 6/26/68 #438995 \$75 practices AMENDED 9-16-68 re: commercial practices 1968 4-23-69 BAL-6678 Vol. assignment of license to DALE J. SMITH 6-2-69 GRANTED 11-7-69 FEE PD: \$75 -#519173 Eff: 12-1-69 Pub notice filed 6-11-69 AMENDMENT 10-15-69. | Additional financing and Community Needs. F. C. C. - WASHINGTON, D. C.

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters K S R A

Name DALE J. SMITH
SALMON, IEDAHO

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BR-3787 R & F PN PRESS BR-3787 R & F	6-27-74 7-1-74 7-1-74 7-1-74 5-18=77 5-20-77	Renewal of License RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	9-26-74
PN Recd. PRESS	" UN 3 1977	F.C.C WASHINGTON, D. C.	GRANTED	9-21-77

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Call Letters: K S R A

Name: DALE J. SMITH

Station Location:

Salmon, Idaho

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BZ-791029AC R & F DM PRESSOEC 3 1 194	10-29-79	Direct Measurement	GRANTED 1-10-80
BR800602WW PRFSS	16 **	RENEWAL OF LICENSE RO AMENDED 9-25-80 re: programming	GRANTED 10-21-80
			Form BC-121 March 1979

About the History Cards ...

History Cards were first used by the Department of Commerce to keep track of applications filed by, and changes to, the earliest AM broadcast stations in the early 1920s. The records were subsequently transferred to the Federal Radio Commission in 1927, and after that to the Federal Communications Commission when that agency was created in 1934. These cards gradually grew into a large card file. History Cards remained in use until the creation of the first computerized database in 1980 to track broadcast applications, the Broadcast Application Processing System (BAPS). However, the Commission did not transfer the data from the History Cards to the new system. Instead, it retained the History Cards in their original form – 3" by 5" filing cards – for reference.

In 1999, the Commission moved to a new location (445 12th Street SW), and also at that time created the successor database to BAPS, the Consolidated DataBase System (CDBS). The History Cards were transferred to microfiche by a contractor (only one set is known to exist), and the original paper cards were destroyed. The History Cards were stored on the microfiche as negative images, like those you see above. Generally, they have been left as negatives as those are often easier to read.

History Cards contain very brief entries and notes about station facilities, applications, and ownership. They are not, and never were intended to be, a comprehensive record of a station's operations. Nevertheless, they can be useful to help determine, for example, when a station first went on the air and its call letters at that time. History Card comments were generally typed onto the cards, and thus some records will show more faintly or with more smudging than others, depending on the quality of typewriter and ribbon then used. Occasional h andwritten comments, corrections, and strikeouts may also be found. Cards may be incomplete, missing, or occasionally out of sequence.

The History Cards are presented here as they were copied to microfiche, to preserve this record for public use, and with the hope that they will be of value to future researchers of radio station history.

